Abstract Sale Notification dated 11th September 1939.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed resale notification of Sulekere Grass lease of Madhugiri Range, published on page 1902, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 21st September 1939.

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HASSAN DISTRICT.

Notification dated 18th September 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting grazing fees on cattle passing through Marnahalli and Bisle Toll-gates during 1939-40 (up to 30th June 1940) and also on cattle moving to Bisle and Kulugunda for the ensuing Subrahmanya Jatra through Kemphole and Bisle State Forests between October and December 1939 will be sold by public auction on the 10th October 1939 at 2 p.m. by the District Forest Officer, Hassan, or any other officer deputed by him at the Forest Range Office, Sakleshpur, subject to the following conditions :—

1. Each bidder should deposit Rs. 25 as earnest money with the sale conducting officer before he is permitted to bid, which in the case of unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them.

2. The highest bidder should pay one-fourth of the sale purchase money at the close of the sale, less the initial deposit amount together with local and education cesses at one anna and six pies per rupee on the entire sale amount, failing which, the right will be resold forthwith at his risk forfeiting the amount already deposited.

3. The balance of the sale amount should be paid within ten days from the date of sale, failing which the right will be resold at his risk, but he shall not participate in any profit that may accrue. The deficit, if any, shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand.

4. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason for the same.

5. The right-holder shall collect the grazing fees at the sanctioned rates as noted below for every head of cattle that passes at the Marnahalli and Bisle Toll-gates :—

Buffaloes 1 anna per head. | Horses 1 anna per head.
Cows and bullocks 6 pies per head. | Sheep 3 pies per head.
Calves six months and under are exempt from fee.

6. The right-holder should make his own arrangements to get these tickets of one anna and six pies face value printed as per sample form noted below and stock sufficient supply of these tickets, ready at both the stations. He should further make his own arrangements for any temporary sheds that may be required for the use of his men.

7. The right-holder shall by himself or his Agent, not levy under any circumstances, rates other than those stipulated already. Any irregularity or complaint coming to notice shall render him liable to criminal prosecution besides forfeiting his contract forthwith.

8. It will be the bounden duty of all cattle owners who move their cattle through the above toll-gates to obtain tickets before allowing their cattle to pass through, failing which they will be liable to criminal prosecution under the Forest Regulation or any other law in force.

9. Public servants moving on duty are exempt from this levy.

10. The right-holder shall be bound to render satisfactory accounts to the Range Forest Officer, Manjarabad, and to present his books and tickets for examination by any Government Officer whenever he is called upon to do so.

11. The right-holder shall execute a bond on a duly stamped paper to abide by the foregoing conditions and deposit Rs. 50 in the Government Savings Bank as security.

12. The District Forest Officer reserves the right of forfeiting the security amount therein whole or in part for the breach of any of the foregoing conditions and his decision will be final.

FORM OF TICKET.

1939-40 Buffalo, One anna. ..... Contractor.	1939-40 Cow or Bullock Six pies ..... Contractor.
1939-40 Horse, one anna. ..... Contractor.	1939-40 Sheep, three pies. ..... Contractor.

D. NARASIMHAMOORTHY RAO,
District Forest Officer.